The Garden of Abdul Gasazi by Chris Van Allsburg Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Why did Miss Hester decide to leave her dog with Alan Mitz?

1. he was lost
2. Alan was a good friend

c. Fritz bit cousin Eunice six times

d. Fritz did not like Alan

2. In the sentence, “Alan fastened Fritz's leash and the dog dragged him out of the house”,

what does the word *fastened* mean?

a. dropped b. ate c. combed d. attached

3. What is the first clue the author gives to show that Alan is familiar with Fritz?

a. he follows Fritz into the garden b. he knows the magician

c. he hides his hat under his shirt d. Miss Hester smiles

4. The author makes us think the duck really is Fritz in the following ways **except**:

1. one duck came forward
2. the duck barks at Alan

c. the bird tried to give him a bite

d. the duck flew out ahead and grabbed the hat

5. What can you **infer** about the author's style?

1. he hates magic b . doesn't want readers to be tricked

c. he keeps the reader guessing d. he gives away the ending